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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re The Application of: )  
Silvano Gai et al. )  
Serial No.: 09/535,810 )  
Filed: March 28, 2000 )  
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR )  
HIGH-SPEED PARSING OF NETWORK )  
MESSAGES )

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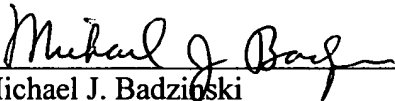
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